## REPORT.

Whereas it appears by the census of the United States, taken in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty, in pursuance of the act of Congress, passed at the session of 1839, chapter 80, entitled "an act to provide for taking the sixth census or enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States," and the act passed at the first session of the twenty-seventh Congress, chapter 15, entitled, an act to amend the act entitled, an act to provide for taking the sixth census or enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States, approved March the third, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and the acts amending the same, and by the official promulgation of said census pursuant to the acts aforesaid, and the resolution of the first session of the twenty-seventh Congress, being resolution No. 4, of said last mentioned session, that Allegany county has a population of fifteen thousand six hundred and ninety souls, of which eight hundred and twelve are slaves, making in federal numbers, fifteen thousand three hundred and sixty-five; that Washington county has a population of twenty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty souls, of which two thousand five hundred and forty-six are slaves, making in federal numbers twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and thirtyone; that Frederick county has a population of thirty six thousand four hundred and five souls, of which four thousand four hundred and forty-five are slaves, making in federal numbers thirty-four thousand six hundred and twenty-seven; that Carroll county has a population of seventeen thousand two hundred and forty-one souls, of which eleven hundred and forty-two are slaves, making in federal numbers sixteen thousand seven hundred and ninety-one; that Baltimore city has a population of one hundred and two thousand three hundred and thirteen souls, of which three thousand one hundred andninety-nine are slaves, making in federal numbers, one hundred and onethousand and thirty-three, that Baltimore county has a population of thirty-two thousand and sixtysix souls, of which four thousand three hundred and ninety-six are slaves, making in federal numbers thirty thousand three hundred and seven; that Harford county has a population of seventeen